

NEGROES HELD A MEETING

C. L. SHINE WAS ENDORSED FOR
MAYOR OF THE CITY AF-
TER MUCH DEBATE.

Forty or fifty negroes, all, or at least a goodly portion, supporters of C. L. Shine, the independent candidate for mayor, held a meeting last night. This session was attended by possibly fifty persons, and it was at first thought that the meeting was to make a protest against the street car bill, which will separate the white and colored passengers.

A Journal reporter, however, upon visiting the hall shortly before 12 o'clock, learned that such was not the case and that the meeting was held solely for the purpose of endorsing Mr. Shine for the office of mayor of Pensacola.

The meeting was a very heated one, and was presided over by Mark S. White. The speeches of those present could be heard for blocks, as well as the raps of the presiding officer upon the desk. The endorsement of Mr. Shine was finally made, although there appeared, owing to the noise made, to be a number of dissenting votes.

So far as the other city officers are concerned, no action was taken, although there was considerable comment made upon this matter.

CHANGING SENTIMENT.

Oliver Goldsmith's "Deserted Village." Goldsmith in his "Deserted Village," spoke of a certain chapel where those who "went to scoff, remained to pray." So in life one often laughs at what he does not understand and later, when he does understand, his laugh turns to praise. There were some who doubted the merits of Newbro's, "Herpicide," the scalp germicide and hair dressing; but since they have tried it, they are now among its best friends and strongest endorsers. Herpicide kills the germ that eats the hair out at the root, and the hair then grows again. As a hair dressing it is incomparable. Try it. Sold by leading druggists. For sale by W. A. D'Alemberte, druggist and apothecary, 121 S. Palafox. Send 10 cents in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Company, Detroit, Mich.



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THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

THERE WAS BUT LITTLE BUSI-
NESS TRANSACTED AT THE
SESSION LAST NIGHT.

The regular meeting of the Board of County Commissioners was held last night, Chairman Avery presiding. Every member of the board was present when it was called to order, which was after 9 o'clock.

There was but little business transacted by the commissioners. A member of the Board of Commissioners of Baldwin county was in attendance, in connection with the construction of the bridge across Perdido river, near Muscogee. It had recently been decided to construct a wooden bridge, but lately plans for a steel bridge were received, and these were submitted to the board, afterwards being turned over to the commissioners of Baldwin county, which county is to bear one-half of the expense.

It was decided to have the glass windows near the jury box removed and others substituted, in order that the light may not reflect in the eyes of the jurors. The board also decided to have all of the carpets in the jury room removed and cleaned. The matter of new roads and the improvement of old ones was brought up by the county members, each member urging the building of a new road in his district. No action was taken, except in a few cases.

NEW MEMPHIS AND NEW ORLEANS LINE

By Associated Press.
Jackson, Miss., May 9.—The Good-year syndicate which is now in operation quite extensively in this state and is backed by a capital stock of \$25,000,000, will build a railroad direct from New Orleans to Memphis. The syndicate officially confirmed this plan when application was made for the issuance of a proclamation of incorporation for the New Orleans and Great Northern Railroad Company. New Orleans and Memphis are stated as the terminal points.

OPEN MEETING OF UNION WILL BE HELD.

An open meeting of the Painters and Decorators' Union, Local No. 459, will be held to-night at the hall of the Central Trades Council, when matters connected with the lock-out of the members of that organization and the Carpenters and Joiners will be considered.

The meeting is open to all members of organized labor in the city, who are requested to attend and participate in the session.

Russian Fleet Sails.

Nhatrang, Annam, May 9.—Admiral Rojstvensky's squadron, which has been cruising for several days off Wan Fong bay, sailed to-day.

WEWAHITCHKA AND VICINITY

ORANGE GROVE IN FLOURISHING
CONDITION—LARGE INTER-
ESTS IN MONEY—GEN-
ERAL NEWS.

Special to The Journal.
Wewahitchka, May 9.—This is a very busy season with our citizens. It is thought that the honey crop will be a little short this year.

Through the kindness of Editor Mack of the News, the writer had the pleasure of visiting the orange grove of Mr. S. S. Allman. The trees are loaded with fruit and the prospect is good for a large crop. Mr. Allman has several apiaries, owning some 2,500 stands of bees which make from 700 to 800 barrels of honey a year, which sells readily at \$20.00 per barrel.

The Wewahitchka Gin Co. are preparing to put in a syrup mill along with their long and short staple gin. Among the prominent business men here are the following: Mr. H. D. Stone, dealer in general merchandise, guano, honey, cotton, furs, alligator skins, hides, etc.; J. P. Atkins & Son, general dealers in plantation supplies, hides, etc. Mr. Atkins owns some fine Devron cattle in addition to a large herd of range stock.

Higgins & Hollinger, in addition to handling a large stock of general merchandise, hardware, stoves, wagons, feed stuffs, etc., own a large apiary and 3,000 acres of farming lands near town. They also own large interests in 140,000 acres of round timber near St. Joe and the Lagoon Tarponette Co.

Mr. E. G. Mack, editor and owner of the Wewahitchka News owns a large grocery store and runs the Wewahitchka hotel, which now has as guests the following: A. B. Dement, C. E. Pennel, A. G. Pennel, Nashville; J. H. Walker, F. G. Minon, Saunders; J. H. Hammond, St. Andrews; T. W. Hoskins, Cromaton; C. H. Bamberg, North Carolina; Miss Marie Span, Fountain; S. R. Thames, A. Hogeboom, Pensacola; R. G. Dugan, New Orleans; A. J. Wood, Blountstown; Dr. Jones, River Junction.

The county has appropriated \$5,000 to rebuild the bridges, etc., along the old St. Joe railroad bed and will use it for a public road from Wewahitchka to St. Joe.

MARIANNA

Special to The Journal.
Marianna, May 9.—Judge B. S. Lid-don is in Tallahassee attending the sessions of the legislature.
Louis Wiseloge is in Pensacola on a business trip.
J. P. Calhoun is in attendance at the United States court in Pensacola.
Al Hogeboom, of The Pensacola Journal, is in town in the interests of his paper.

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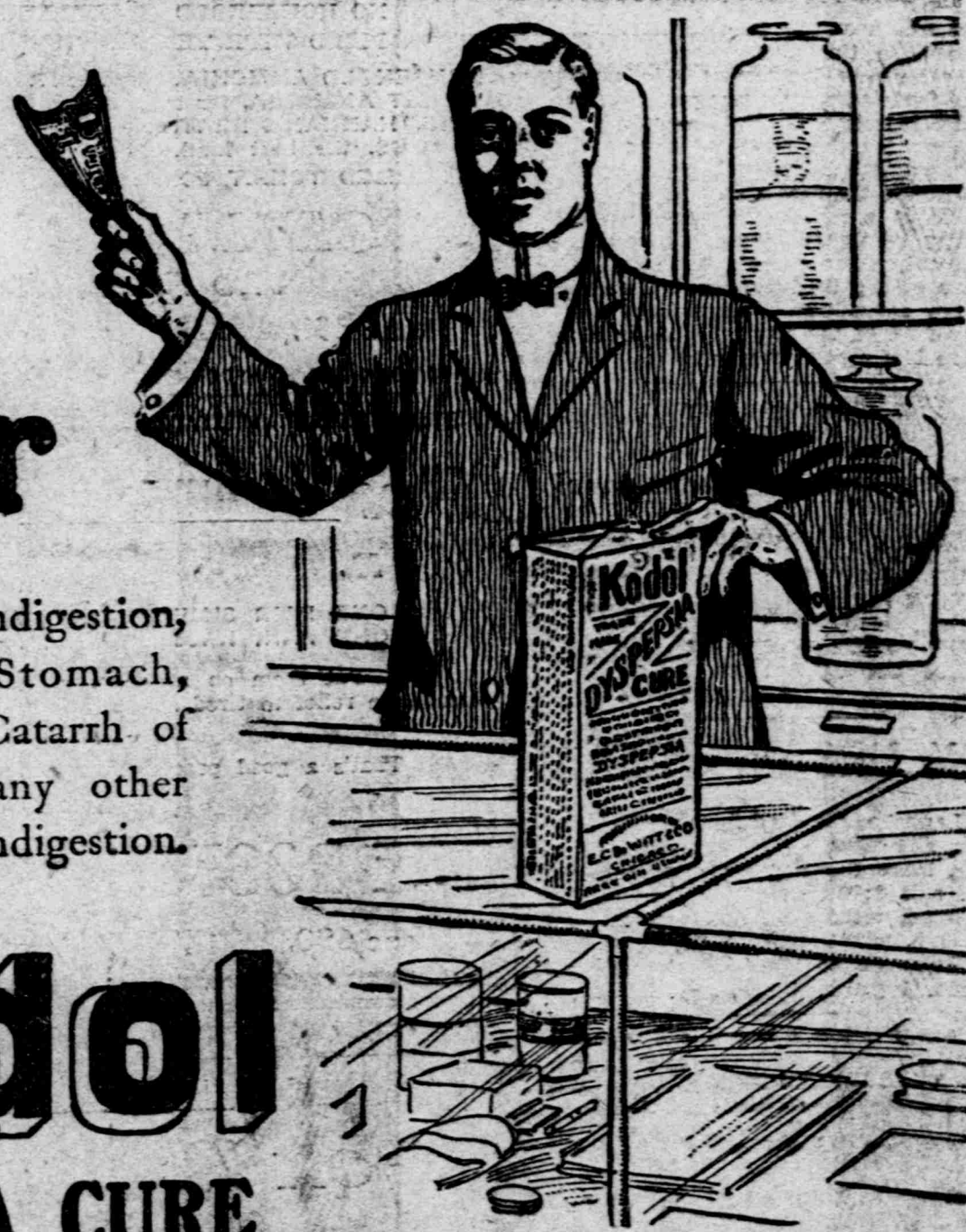
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Cigar Boxes of Spanish Cedar.
The best cigar box is made of Spanish cedar," said a tobaccoist. "All our imported cigars come in Spanish cedar boxes. Look here."

He opened a box of beautiful, costly cigars, and the odor diffused through the shop was indescribably pleasant, an odor half of tobacco, half, as it seemed, of spices.

"That spicy smell—do you notice it?" said the dealer. "Well, that is the smell of the Spanish cedar. It communicates itself to the cigars, and so delicate and subtle is it that it actually improves their flavor."

"If we put up our goods in chestnut or walnut or pine boxes the flavor of the wood, impregnating the tobacco, would ruin the cigars entirely; hence, moderately good cigars are put in a box that is quite odorless, and the best cigars are put up in this aromatic and costly box."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

Highest Ten Buildings.

The ten highest buildings in the world are the Eiffel tower, Paris, 944 feet high; the Washington monument, 555 feet; City building, Philadelphia, 585 feet; Cathedral of Cologne, 511 feet; Cathedral of Strasbourg, 498 feet; the chimney of the St. Rollox Chemical works, Glasgow, 455 feet; St. Martin's church, Landsbut, Germany, 454 feet; St. Stephen's, Vienna, 453 feet; the Great Pyramid, 480 feet, and St. Peter's, Rome, 448 feet.—Boston Globe.

Hard Constitutions.

"Poor old Richley!" said Brown. "He's a very sick man."

"Yes," replied Dr. Bolus, "but I have his case in hand now, and there is hope."

"Oh, I don't know!" replied the other absentmindedly. "Some of your patients have been known to get well in spite of you."

His Grief.

"John," said Mrs. Twislow, "you are a brute! You don't express any sorrow that my mother is dying. I don't believe you'd care if all my relatives died!"

"Yes, I would, Maria," answered the brute cheerfully. "I often find myself grieving over the death of your first husband."

A Deduction.

Bugby—Who was that lady who sat beside you at the theater the other evening? Smith—Why, that was my wife. Bugby—Oh, I don't mean the one who sat on your right. I mean the one you talked with.

Naturally.

His Wife—I wish I had lots of money. He—If one could get what he wished for I think I should wish for common sense, not for money. His Wife—Naturally everybody wishes for what they haven't got.

Try.

Try to be something in this world, and you will be something. Aim at excellence, and excellence will be attained. This is the greatest secret of success and eminence. "I cannot do it" never accomplished anything. "I will try" has wrought wonders.

Man's Vanity.

There is no exaggerated and barefaced compliment a man will not swallow greedily if it be served up by a woman. And his complacency under the process of swallowing is something delicious to witness.—Lady's Realm.

Deference of American Girls.

A generally ignored point in assessing the many reasons why American girls are so popular is the very captivating shade of deference with which they treat those older than themselves.—Lady's Pictorial.

Time to Break.

Miss Ascum—Have you really broken off your engagement to him? Miss Fly-tie—Oh, yes, I just had to. He was getting too sentimental—began to talk to me about matrimony.—Philadelphia Press.

Men are sent into the world with bills of credit and seldom draw to their full extent.—Walpole.

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The Everglades.

The climate of the Everglades of Florida is almost faultless. It is singularly equable, showing no extremes of heat and cold and not subject to sudden change. Even a "norther," coming out of the region of ice and snow, is soon softened to milder temperature, and the heat of summer is made genial, though the mercury may be well up in the eighties, by the ozonized air which is everywhere in the glades. The year is divided into the dry and rainy seasons. The latter may be roughly spoken of as including June and September, although well in the glades sudden light showers in limited areas are likely at any season, and in the autumn a high degree of humidity is constant. A lifetime might be spent in the region and no sign of malaria ever be discovered. Pure air that moves in gentle breezes over a vast expanse of pure water is the perfect assurance of health, as evinced in the fine physique, splendid coloring and athletic vigor of the Seminole, who has a monopoly of as fine a climate as there is on earth.—Century.

A Variation With a Big Difference.

"Yes, he used to be in the newspaper business, but he's studying for the ministry now. He says he decided that he couldn't be a reporter and save his soul."

"Indeed? I believe his old city editor put it differently. He says he couldn't be a reporter to save his soul."—Exchange.

Improving the Mountains.

The cockney who said he valued Switzerland for its mountain hair has a supporter in a writer in the Irish Independent, who remarks, "There are many mountains in the country now bare and desolate whose brows if whiskered with forests would present a striking appearance."—London Punch.

Wanted the Legal View.

"Of course you know how many minutes there are to an hour," said a lawyer to a witness in an English court.

"Well," said the witness after pondering for awhile, "let's hear your version of it."

A true man never frets about his place in the world, but just slides into it by the gravitation of his nature and swings there as easily as a star.—Chaplin.

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